



The Birr Scientific and Heritage Foundation
T/A Birr Castle Demesne

Friends of Birr Castle Demesne Membership Terms and Conditions

1. By purchasing your membership, you acknowledge that you have read and agree to be bound by these terms and conditions.
2. Access to the Demesne is strictly within our opening hours. Members must present a valid key fob to gain entry, otherwise normal admission rates will apply.
3. There is a maximum number of 4 adults and 5 children on any one membership. Main adult must be a full paying adult. 4 adults include 1 Main Adult/Senior plus 3 additional adults/seniors/students.
4. Key tags are for the use of the named member only and are non-transferrable.
5. A charge of €5.00 applies for the replacement of lost/broken key tags.
6. The following items are not permitted in the demesne: bicycles, balance bikes, skateboards, drones and any other flying objects, rollerblades/skates, scooters, hurls, or ball games of any nature.
7. Compliance of signs and fencing must be adhered to for your health and safety.
8. Children aged 17 and under must be accompanied & supervised by an adult at all times while visiting the Demesne and playground.
9. CCTV is in operation on site and within the buildings for your safety and security.
10. Our terms and conditions contract/form must be signed by all members aged 18 and over or ticked online, for all new and renewal memberships.
11. Membership entitles you to unlimited visits during opening hours throughout the duration of your membership, but it may exclude admission to any special events being held in the Demesne.
12. Memberships have no monetary or refund value. Once purchased, refunds do not apply.
13. Birr Castle Demesne reserves the right to refuse admission to any member. In the interest of public safety, visitors can be requested to leave the grounds at any time.
14. Friends and their accompanying guests can avail of a reduced rate for all guided tours of 25%. Pre-booking is required and subject to availability. Guided tours vary from season to season and year to year.
15. Friends and their accompanying guests can avail of a 10% discount off the full adult general admission ticket price on entry, this offer is not valid for special events or in conjunction with other promotional offers.

16. Failure to adhere to the rules of membership at Birr Castle Demesne will result in the immediate cancellation of membership without refund.

17. A photograph is required for all members aged 18 and over, the photograph will be taken by a member of our team. Refusal to have your photograph taken will result in automatic cancellation of your membership.

18. Members are welcome to have picnics in the main parklands. When doing so, please take home all of your leftovers/litter.

19. Membership terms and conditions and rates are subject to change without notice.

Friends Membership Dog owners Terms and Conditions

1. Dog owners must hold their dogs on a leash at all times and the leash must be held by an adult.
2. For the comfort and safety of other visitors and friends, your dog must be kept under control at all times.
3. In the interest of Health & Safety all dog waste must be removed, please use the dog bags provided at reception.
4. Dogs are not permitted in The Treehouse Adventure Playground or the Science Centre/Galleries.
5. Please do not allow your dog to soil at the entrance or exit of the shop, including the doorways and within the shop area. Should your dog soil in these areas, a clean-up fee of €20.00 will apply.
6. Failure to adhere to our membership terms and conditions will result in immediate cancellation of your membership.
7. Dog owners must adhere to the dangerous dog act as outlined on the Citizen Information website. Failure to adhere to the act will result in automatic cancellation of your membership.

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